The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

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MADRID, December 7.

THE Most Christian King, of his own Motion, and without requiring any Equivalent, at present, has ceded to our Monarch Louisiana and New Orleans.——This Cession is made purely and precisely to keep up those Sentiments of sincere and disinterested Union which fill the Breasts of the two Kings.

Milan, Dec. 6. We have a Report here, that the Prince of Monaco will cede his Principality to the King of Sardinia, and receive from the French King in Return the Island of Belleisle.

Hague, Dec. 22. It is reported that Prince William Henry, his Britannic Majesty's Brother, will be speedily declared Bishop of Osnabrug, and that he will set out in the Spring, to take Possession of that Principality.

LONDON, *December* 18.

By Letters received by Tuesday's Dutch Mail, we are informed, that on Friday the 10th Instant, the Right Honourable the Marquis of Granby lay so dangerously ill at Warbourg, that they had little or no Hope of his Recovery; and that a Messenger was that Day dispatched to Hanover to one of the first Physicians of that City, by whose Assistance he is now happily out of Danger, to the great Joy of the whole Army, to whom he has endeared himself by a Thousand Acts of Generosity.

Extract of a Letter from Ratisbon, Nov. 25.

"Baron Plotho, the Minister of Brandenburgh, has declared to the Diet, that the King his Master, intends to act in a hostile Manner against all the Circles, until they recal their Contingents from the Austrian Army, and give his Majesty ample Satisfaction for all the Hostilities they have hitherto committed against him. This plain Declaration has struck Terror into the Circles that are most exposed to his Resentment. Yesterday Morning the Military Chest of the Army of the Empire was sent away from hence to Lintz. Several Ministers, and especially the Emperor's principal Commissary, have packed up all their Effects, that they may be ready to depart, in case Danger draws nearer."

Part of a Letter from Ratisbon, dated Nov. 29.

"The Deputies of this City, and of the Grand Chapter, as also of the Abbey of Emeran, Ober, and Næder Munster, having repaired to Baron Plotho, on Occasion of the King of Prussia's late Declaration, this Minister told them, that the Moment a Body of Prussian Troops should appear before the City, and demand Hostages to treat of Contributions, they must comply, without waiting for Extremities."

"Such is the Situation of Affairs in these Parts; and we have the more Reason to dread the approaching Appearance of the Prussians, as they are already come into the Bishopric of Eichstadt. We don't perceive that Bavaria makes any Preparations for Defence; and it is said, that the Prussians have demanded a free Passage through that Electorate."

Dec. 29. They write from Paris of the 12th Inst. that a Company of Swiss Guards passing over a Bridge, on their March returning to that City from Germany, the Bridge broke under them, by which they were all drowned, except 16 that were taken up.

Some private Letters by the last Dutch Mail insinuate, that several Courts will act in Concert, as well at Leipsic as at Vienna, in Order to compromise the Quarrel between the Empress Queen and his Prussian Majesty.

They write from Paris, that the King of Sardinia is to assist the Queen of Hungary with 10,000 of his Troops in the Beginning of the Spring, to bring the King of Prussia to reasonable Terms of Peace.

We have it affirmed to us, that the Spanish Passes, transmitted here by M. Grimaldi, the Minister of the Court of Madrid at that of Versailles, have been found so imperfect, that they have been obliged to be returned back. If this is true, as we have great Reason to think it is, the French and Spanish Subjects, under our Passes, now reap the whole Benefit of Trade resulting from the Preliminaries, while our own Merchants by this Stroke of Politics, remain precluded from such commercial Advantages.

Our naval Force in India, and its Situation, was in April last, as follows:

Five Sail of the Line, at Madrass.
Two of the Line, at Bombay.
Two of the Line, and two Frigates, at Batavia.
Two of the Line, and two Frigates at the Cape of Good Hope. All separated by Chance, but they were expected to unite at the Island of Ceylon, in June last.

The Parties taken into Custody for distributing some inflammatory Libels are discharged.

Wednesday an Express arrived from the Duke of Bedford. His Dutchess having sent for her Jewels, it is thought they will stay longer at Paris than was at first imagined.

Yesterday in the Evening, after the breaking up of the Council, a Messenger was dispatched to the Duke of Bedford at Paris.

We have an Account from Petersburg in Russia, that a Man there had 72 Children by two Wives, by the first he had

	4 Children at a Birth	4 times	16
	3 —— at a Birth	7 times	21
	2 —— at a Birth	10 times	20
By the 2d,	3 —— at a Birth	3 times	9
	2 —— at a Birth	3 times	6
		Total,	72

This Account is from a Master of a Ship who was at Petersburg in the Year 1757, and was taken from the Mouth of one of the Sons; the Man was 72 Years of Age, then living with his second Wife, and 52 of his Children were also living at that Time.

Dec. 23. An Officer, lately arrived from the Havannah, declares, that there are not 300 Men left alive of the Regiment of Highlanders, commanded by Lord John Murray, which Regiment consisted of two Battalions of 1000 Men each.

All the small Ships in his Majesty's Service, of a certain Age, we hear are ordered to be sold.

It is said that his Grace the Duke of Newcastle has resigned the Office of Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

On Thursday three Sailors, who had just received their second Payment of 450 l. Prize Money, due from the Hermione, at the Ship Tavern behind the Exchange, took a Coach, in order to go to the Strand, and threw out Money all the Way to the Populace.

Dec. 27. An English Frigate-built Ship, called the Donald, bound to Virginia, burthen 180 Tons, and 20 Men, is taken by the Triumphant Privateer, and carried into St. Sebastians.

They are fitting out a Squadron of Men of War at Brest, for the East Indies, which are to be commanded by Count d'Estrange. This Gentleman ran twice away from his Parole of Honour, and after the first Breach of Faith, fitted out some Ships at the Morushet, and did us a great deal of Mischief at Bencoolen, and in the Gulph of Persia.—Quere, What may not be expected from a Soldier who breaks his Honour? In about 50 Months Time, or thereabouts, we may possibly hear of some extraordinary Exploits in the true French Taste.

We are informed, that a Person of Distinction will be immediately sent to the King of Prussia, in order to reconcile him to the Princess of the Empire, against whom he has taken an Antipathy, and to endeavour to prevent a Continuance of the War, which seems to wear as dreadful a Look at present as it ever did, in Upper Germany.

We hear the Articles of the Definitive Treaty between this Court, France, Spain and Portugal, which arrived here a few Days ago from Paris, are already sent back to his Grace the Duke of Bedford.

Vast Quantities of Goods, of various Kinds, are shipping in the River, for several Ports in France and Spain.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, Dec. 16.

"Letters from Paris, by this Day's Post, advise, that the People of France are highly dissatisfied with the Preliminaries of Peace. And from Dunkirk they write, that on the 6th Instant a Courier arrived there from Versailles, whose Dispatches occasioned a great Consternation, being an express Order to demolish all the Works that have been raised since the Year 1756, which it was apprehended would include the Port; but this was not to be determined till the Arrival of the English Commissaries, who were expected on the 15th."

This Day at Noon Peter Annet (lately convicted for Publishing divers blasphemous Remarks on the Five Books of Moses) stood in the Pillory at Charing-Cross, and next Week he is to stand at the Royal Exchange.

Dec. 28. Yesterday Morning an Express arrived from Germany, and amongst other Dispatches, it is said, has brought Advice of the Marquis of Granby being relapsed, and was dangerously ill when the Express came away.

Dec. 30. In the Course of the War we have taken from the French 18 Ships of the Line, and 36 Frigates, and destroyed 14 Ships, and 13 Frigates; and they have lost by Accidents 5 Ships, and 6 Frigates; so that on the whole their Navy has been deprived of 37 Capital Ships, and 55 Frigates. From the Spaniards we have taken 12 Ships, and 4 Frigates. Our Loss has been only 2 Frigates taken, and 3 destroyed; and 13 Ships, and 14 Frigates, lost by Accident.

A Letter from the Hague, dated Dec. 21, says, "It is rumoured at that Place, that though only 26 Preliminary Articles of Peace between France and England have been published, there were 37 signed; consequently 11 which have not been thought proper to be published. By one of these, some People pretend to say that it is stipulated, That notwithstanding the vague and haughty Answer which the King of Prussia made to the Representation of England on the Expediency of accommodating his Difference with the Empress Queen, fresh Application shall be made to him, desiring him to be more explicit on the Terms of Peace he will agree to."

According to the last Letters from Vienna, the Troops of the Empress Queen will be augmented next Campaign with 70,000 Men, viz. 50,000 Recruits, raised in the Hereditary Dominions, and 20,000 foreign Troops, which she will take into her Pay. The Grandees of Hungary have promised to advance to her Majesty Seventeen Millions, which they borrow at Venice, Genoa, and other Cities.

The whole Discourse of the Town turns now upon the strong Report of the Reconciliation of our Court and that of Vienna; and some Politicians pretend to see strange Revolutions, in Consequence thereof.

Letters from Brussels, of the 30th Instant, advise, that a very strong Detachment of Prussian Troops were on their March to occupy the Territories of Marck, Cleves, and Guelders; on which Account Orders have been sent from Vienna, to Prince Charles of Lorrain, to have a watchful Eye over these Troops, that they do not penetrate into the Austrian Netherlands.

The Prussian Troops, which are on their March to take Possession of Cleves, it is said, will execute some COUP D'ECLAT against a Province belonging to the Dutch, and also against the County of Horne, to which the King of Prussia has long laid a Claim.

It will give Pleasure to the Friends of Ireland, when they are informed, that their Linen Exports have increased upwards of 221,000 l. within the last Year, ending the 25th of March, 1762.

January 1. Various are the Opinions of Persons on the sudden Departure of the Honourable Hans Stanley, for Paris; but in general it is believed, that he is gone as an Assistant to his Grace the Duke of Bedford, in the same Station as the French Ambassador has an Assistant at our Court; yet some say the Affairs of the East-India Company is the chief Object.

England and France have agreed to use their joint Influence to induce the States of Germany to withdraw their Troops from the Army of the Empire, and observe a strict Neutrality while the War continues.

Letters from Leipsic, of the 17th ult. advise, that the King of Prussia intended to have three Armies in the Field next Campaign; one in Saxony, commanded by Prince Henry; another in Silesia, under the Prince of Bevern; and the third headed by the King in Person, to invade the Kingdom of Bohemia.

January 3. His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales has, within this Day or two, been indiſpoſed, but we hope without any Danger.

January 4. Spaniſh Paſſes, we are informed, arrived here by the laſt French Mail.

Several Merchants and Traders have begun to remove Themſelves and Effects from Belleiſle, ſome of which are gone, and others intend to go, to Boſton, Piſcataqua, &c. in order to diſpoſe of their Effects in North-America.

A private Letter by this Day's Dutch Mail ſays, that the Marquis of Granby was better on the 24th paſt.

This Morning arrived a Mail from Liſbon, and with it ſome Diſpatches from Count de la Lippe Buckebourg, by which we are informed, that all the Troops were ready to embark for England, every Thing being very quiet throughout the Kingdom.

Whitehall, Jan. 4. The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Henry Oſborn, Eſq; the Office or Offices of Vice Admiral of Great-Britain, and Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, and alſo of Lieutenant of the Navies and Seas of the ſaid Kingdom, void by the Death of George Lord Anſon.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Sir Edward Hawke, Knight of the Bath, the Office or Offices of Rear-Admiral of Great-Britain, and of the Admiralty thereof, and of Rear-Admiral of the Navies and Seas of the ſaid Kingdom, in the Room of Sir William Rowley, Knight of the Bath, appointed Admiral and Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Fleet.

A curious Monument has been lately erected in St. Peter's Church at Leyden in Holland, in Memory of the famous Dr. Herman Boerhaave, who was born the 31ſt of December 1668, and died the 23d of September 1738.

BOSTON, *March* 7.

We hear from Milton, that a Sheep having ſtrayed to a ſmall Diſtance from a Flock in the Snow Storm that happened in the Night following the 2d Day of January laſt, took Shelter under a Stone Wall, and was there ſo covered with Snow, that ſhe was not found until the 31ſt of that Month; when a Boy accidently paſſing on the Snow near where the Sheep lay, broke through the Cruſt into the Cavity occaſioned by her Breath; from whence ſhe was taken: It was ſeveral Days before ſhe could uſe her Limbs, or eat any Thing; however, through the Care of the Owner, the Sheep is now, to Appearance, as ſtrong and active as ever.

An Ewe of a middling Size, and which always grazed with a common Flock in the ſecond Pariſh in Hingham, has been ſo Prolific, as that within the Compaſs of five Years, ſhe has Yeaned 15 Lambs, all which were fatted for the Market, except one devoured by Dogs. Upon the Sheep's dying with Sickneſs this Winter, three more Lambs were found in her Body. She was not 7 Years old.

Laſt Tueſday Afternoon a melancholy Affair happened at the North End; two young Children, about 5 and 6 Years of Age, Daughters of a Gentleman lately arrived from Newfoundland, having picked up a Piece of Arſenic, which lay carelefly about the Houſe, the Family not knowing what it was, but thought it to be a Bit of Alabaſter, and the Children taking it to be Loaf Sugar, they both eat of it, and the Poiſon immediately operated to ſuch a Degree that they both died the ſame Night.

The many repeated Storms of Snow we have had ſince Chriſtmas, has filled the Town and Country in ſuch a Manner that the Travelling is ſtill very bad.—It is imagined that the Snow is, upon a Level, between three and four Feet high, in the Country.—Several Perſons who have come from Rutland, Deerfield, &c. were obliged to travel with Rackets (Snow Shoes) to Shrewſbury, there being no Paths on that Road.

March 28. We have Advices from the Weſt-Indies, that the French and Spaniſh Privateers have been very ſucceſsful of late, and that ſince the 18th of January, no leſs than 25 Sail of Veſſels, belonging to the Northern Colonies, have been taken by them.

NEW-HAVEN (in *Connecticut*) *March* 26.

We hear from ſeveral Towns, back in the Country, that the Snow is deeper than has been known for near Fifty Years, at this Seaſon; it is Two and Three Feet deep on a Level, in ſome Places, and where it is Driſted, the Fences are intirely covered up. What makes the Proſpect diſagreeable is, the general Scarcity of Fodder throughout the Colony.

NEW-PORT, *March* 14.

Laſt Wedneſday arrived here Captain Croſwell, in 16 Days from New-Providence, who gives us the following Intelligence, viz.—That Capt. Robert Rodman, in the Schooner Twins, who ſailed from this Port the 2d of November laſt, was caſt away 16 Days afterwards, on Cat-Iſland, one of the Bahama's, where the Veſſel and Cargo were entirely loſt; the Men, Three beſides the Captain, leaving 14 Negroes on the Wreck, had the good Fortune to get aſhore in their Boat, but not without much Difficulty; after ſome Time they alſo got the Negroes on Shore, by carrying two at a Trip, their Boat being ſo ſmall as not to admit of any more. They having no Knowledge of the Place they were thus unhappily drove to, travelled about in order to make what Diſcoveries they could, and to procure Subſiſtance; but after having gone, as they imagined, 150 Miles, came to the Place where they ſet off from. They continued eight Weeks in the moſt diſtreſſed Situation, ſubſiſting on Shell Fiſh, and what elſe they could find: The Captain and his three Men came to a Reſolution to take to their Boat; they accordingly ſet off, very weak and feeble, keeping near the Land, being obliged to go aſhore every Night to reſt themſelves; and in about 8 or 10 Days, to their inexpreſſible Joy, very fortunately arrived ſafe at New-Providence, reduced almoſt to Skeletons: At this Place they applied to a Gentleman for a ſmall Veſſel to go after the Negroes; and being provided, they ſailed to the Place where they left them, but on their Arrival found but ſeven alive, whom they brought off.

About 10 Days before Capt. Croſwell ſailed, a Snow from Briſtol was caſt away on the Iſland of Euthera; the Veſſel entirely loſt, and Part of the Cargo, but the Men ſaved.

NEW-YORK, *April* 4.

The Briſtol Merchant, Kerr, is arrived at Briſtol from Boſton. As is alſo the Harriot Snow Packet Boat, Capt. Bonnell, from New-York at Falmouth, in 26 Days.

On Tueſday the 15th of March laſt, about 3 o'Clock in the Morning, a moſt terrible Fire broke out in the Houſe of Meſſrs. Cheſnut and Graham, at Albany, which was ſoon burnt to Aſhes, together with all their Goods, Books, &c. as alſo the Houſe and Store of Mr. Joſeph White, Merchant, adjoining thereto; but by the Vigilance and Induſtry of the Inhabitants, many of Mr. White's Goods were ſaved: The Damage Mr. White has ſuffered by this melancholy Affair is judged to be about 4 or 500 Pounds Currency.

PHILADELPHIA, *April* 7.

Tueſday Evening arrived Captain Dennis from Liſbon, which he left the 8th of February: A Letter by him of the latter End of January, ſays, That they had Accounts from France, that the Definitive Treaty was Signed, but they had no Confirmation of it from England.

The ſame Evening arrived Capt. Hants from St. Chriſtophers, in 23 Days, who informs us, that juſt before he came away they had Advice, that Thomas Stephens (commonly called Big Headed Tom) was gone a Pirating in a Ship; and that the Levant, and another Frigate was gone after him.

The Goſport Man of War from Virginia, is arrived in England. Some of her Convoy ran foul of one another, ſome loſt and ſome taken.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 14.

We have a quite different Account from the above, relating to the Tobacco Fleet, (by the Way of *Virginia*,) *viz.* That they had all got ſafe Home. Which of the Two is the Truth, a little Time will determine.

Laſt Tueſday Morning it Snowed here for a conſiderable Time; but it melted as faſt as it fell, and the Night after we had a ſmart Froſt.

WHEREAS there is a Vacancy for a Maſter in *Queen-Anne's* County SCHOOL.

Any Perſon properly Qualified, applying to the Viſitors of the ſaid School, will meet with as much Encouragement as the Law will ſupport them in.

Signed per *Order*,

NATHAN WRIGHT, *Regiſter.*

TO BE SOLD,

SIX Hundred and Ninety Two ACRES of Choice LAND, on *Pipe-Creek*, about 15 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, called *Ivy Church*, it is extraordinary well Water'd and Timber'd, and will be Sold all together, or in two Parts, as it ſhall beſt ſuit the Purchaſers.

Likewiſe the HOUSE and LOT in *Annapolis*, near the Town Gate, formerly in the Occupation of Mrs. *McLeod*.

Enquire of Mr. WM. COALE, on *Elk-Ridge*.

Annapolis, April 14, 1763.

ABOUT a Month ſince, the Subſcriber's Houſe was broke open, whilſt he was Abſent on a Journey, and the following Particulars were Stolen thereout, viz.

A *French* Frock, with Waiſtcoat and Breeches of Cloth Pompadour Colour, and trimmed with Gold Lace; a Coat of brown Broad Cloth, ſuit trimmed, with Metal Buttons; a white Broad Cloth Waiſtcoat and Breeches; a blue Broad Cloth Waiſtcoat; a pair of Crimſon Broad Cloth Breeches, with Gold Lace Knee-Garters. *In one pair of the aforementioned Breeches was a pair of Silver Knee Buckles.* A black Satin Waiſtcoat, very little the worſe for wear; one pair of black Silk Stocking-Breeches; two pair of Buckſkin Breeches; and ſundry other Things.

Whoever will make Diſcovery of the Thief, or Thieves, that committed the Fact, ſo that he or they be convicted thereof, ſhall receive the Sum of TEN POUNDS Current Money: And whoever will deliver all the Goods abovementioned to the Subſcriber, ſhall be paid FIVE POUNDS; and in Proportion for the Delivery of any of the Particulars, to LLOYD DULANY.

TO be LET, in the City of ANNAPOLIS, in a Fortnight's Time, or thereabouts, TWO Commodious ROOMS, with (or without) a Kitchen, Stable, Chaiſe-Houſe, Meat-Houſe, and a Garden, ſituate in as pleaſant a Spot as any in the City; ſuitable for a Merchant, private Family, or a ſingle Gentleman. For further Particulars, Enquire of the Printers hereof.

Wanted, a Servant Man, or Boy, that underſtands Waiting on a ſingle Gentleman, and that will carefully Manage two Riding Horſes.

Kent-Iſland, April 12, 1763.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, On Monday the 16th of May *next*,

A TRACT of LAND, called SCYLLA, containing about One Hundred Acres, lying on KENT-ISLAND, now in the Poſſeſſion of Mr. *James Bryan*. The Sale to be on the Premiſes, about 12 o'Clock on that Day, when the Subſcriber will attend.

THOMAS BILLIOTT HUTCHISON.

ISAAC NEDHAM having Indented himſelf to me for a Term of Years; I hereby forewarn all Perſons from having any Dealings with him; as I will not Pay any Debts of his contracting after this 14th Day of *April*, 1763.

HENRY WARE.

Philadelphia, March 17, 1763.

IMPORTED, and to be SOLD by DANIEL WILLIAMS, *In* Cheſtnut-Street, *near* Front-Street:

A GREAT ASSORTMENT of the Beſt BOULTING CLOTHS.

MILLERS and OTHERS, who are not ſkill'd in chooſing them, may (by informing him what Branch of the Boulting Buſineſs they are wanted for) DEPEND on being ſupplied with Cloths ſuitable for *any*, and *every* Branch of the Boulting Buſineſs, with particular Directions reſpecting Boulting Mills, and Cloths, if deſired. Said *Williams* has had long Experience in Boulting and Boulting Cloths: Who has alſo to ſell, ſeveral Pair of the beſt *Cullen* MILL-STONES, for grinding Wheat.

STOLEN or STRAYED from the Subſcriber, of *St. Mary's* County, at the Plantation of *Thomas Poſey* in *Charles* County, on Saturday the 19th of *March* laſt, a Sorrel Mare between 12 and 13 Hands high, a natural Pacer, has ſome Reſemblance of white Saddle Spots on her Back, not branded, but docked, & has a large Mane & Tail.

Whoever brings the ſaid Mare to me, or gives Intelligence ſo that I may have her again, ſhall receive Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

JOHN REEVES.

Annapolis, April 6th, 1763.

AS the PAPER-CURRENCY ACT, made in the Year 1733, will expire the 29th of *September*, 1764, and as the Bonds taken by the Commiſſioners or Truſtees of the Loan-Office, can have no longer Duration than that Law; Therefore the ſaid Commiſſioners inform the Debtors to the aforeſaid Office, that they will immediately after the 30th Day of *July* next, proceed to put the Bonds in Suit, beginning with thoſe of the eldeſt Date, and will continue this Proceſs until all the Money due to the Loan-Office ſhall be paid in.

Signed per Order,

ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

Philadelphia, March 29, 1763.

PHILADELPHIA RACES,

On Monday the 30*th of* May, *will be Run for, over the* Center Course *of this City, a Purse of*

FIFTY POUNDS,

FREE for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not full Blooded: Those of 15 Hands high, to carry Nine Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and 7 Pounds for each Inch above that Size, to Run 3 Heats, three Times round the Course each Heat.

Not less than Four reputed running Horses, Mares, or Geldings, to Start in this Race.

The Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that winneth any two Heats, winneth the Purse; but if three several Horses, Mares, or Geldings, win each of them a Heat, then those three, and only they, to run a fourth Heat, and the Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that winneth the fourth Heat, shall have the Purse.

Three Gentlemen will be appointed Judges, who are to fix the Hour of Starting, determine all Disputes, agreeable to regular Articles which will be read at the Post, and will dispose of the Entrance Money, as they shall think most likely to entertain the Company the next Day, when a Purse of TWENTY POUNDS, or more, will be Run for, by such Horses as the Judges may then think proper.

All Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that Run for the Fifty Pound Purse, are to be shewn, entered and measured, by Mr. *Peter Robinson* in this City, on Friday the 27th of *May*, paying Two Pistoles Entrance, or Four Pistoles if entered at the Post.

THE Subscriber, *Sarah Raymer*, Widow of *Thomas Raymer*, at *Broad-Creek* on *Kent-Island*, Deceased, has Administred on his Estate: Therefore all Persons to whom he was Indebted, either by Bond, Bill, Note, or open Account, are desired to bring in their Claims, that they may be adjusted and settled: And those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to come and settle their Accounts. SARAH RAYMER, *Administratrix*.

The Ferry-Boats will cross the Bay, and the Tavern be kept as in the Life-Time of Mr. *Raymer*. Constant Attendance and quick Dispatch, may be depended on, by all who shall be pleas'd to Favour her with their Custom. *S. R.*

A BRIEL will Cover MARES at Mr. *William Brent*'s in *Virginia*, at Five Pounds the Season. He was bred by the late Colonel *Benjamin Tasker*, and got by Mr. *Moreton*'s noted Horse *Traveller*, out of *Selima*. It is recommended to every Gentleman who chuses to send Mares from *Maryland*, to send them to *Kennedy*'s Ferry on *Potowmack*, which is directly opposite to Mr. *Brent*'s, and only Twenty Miles from *Piscataway*, and Sixteen from *Port-Tobacco*.

JOHN CASBURN, Groom.

Good Pasturage for Mares.

Patuxent Iron-Works, *April* 5, 1763.

ALL Persons who have just Claims against the Estate of *Richard Snowden*, late of *Anne-Arundel* County, Deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled and adjusted: And all Persons who are Indebted to the said Estate, by Mortgage, Bond, Note, or Book Account, are requested to come and settle, and pay the same. ELIZABETH SNOWDEN, THOMAS SNOWDEN, SAMUEL SNOWDEN, JOHN SNOWDEN, } *Executors.*

To be SOLD for Current Money,

ABOUT Sixteen Hundred Acres of LAND, lying on *Anti-Eatam* in *Frederick* County, being Part of a Tract called *Rollsbot Enlarged*, formerly granted to Captain *Tobias Stansbury*; the greatest Part of it very good, and well Timber'd; on Part of it there is great Appearance of Iron Ore, and a Stream sufficient to work a Furnace; it lies on the Public Road, and is very convenient for a Store, or Tavern, where there is some Improvements. The Title indisputable.

The Whole will be Sold together or in Lots, as may suit the Purchaser.

Credit will be given for One Half the Purchase, on good Security, if required.

Attendance will be given on the Premises, from the 10th to the 20th of *May* next, by

JOSEPH EDDON.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT or PARCEL of LAND, called *CHOICE*, containing 280 Acres, lying and being in *Frederick* County, on the West Side of *Monocacy*, near *Daniel Pepenger*'s, about Half a Mile above the Mouth of *Owen*'s Creek, joins a Tract of Land called *Black Walnut Bottom*, and about 13 Miles from *Frederick-Town*. The Title indisputable. S. CHASE.

CHARLES WILSON PEALE,

LATELY Removed into *Church-Street*, where Mr. SWAN formerly kept his Store, hereby gives Notice, That he carries on his SADDLER's BUSINESS as usual, where all Persons may be supplied with Saddles, Bridles, or Harness, of any Sort, at the most reasonable Rates.

N. B. He would give good Encouragement to a SADDLE-TREE-MAKER.

Painting of Signs, is likewise performed at the same Place. 2

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at the Sign of the Waggon & Horses *in* West Street, *near the Town Gate, in* ANNAPOLIS,

GOOD HOPS, CANDLES, OAKUM, and all Sorts of CORDAGE, of different Sizes, at reasonable Rates. 2 JOHN GOLDER.

WHEREAS a certain *John Jones* has, in a fraudulent Manner, obtained my Note of Hand for Fifty-one Pounds Five Shillings *Pennsylvania* Currency: This is to forewarn all Persons from purchasing or taking an Assignment of the said Note, for I will not pay it. 2 THOMAS HUSBAND.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Store of Mr. Robert Conden *in* Annapolis, *on Tuesday the* 10*th Day of* April *Inst. being the Second Week in the Provincial Court, for Bills of Exchange, or Money at the current Rates,*

A PARCEL of Country-born SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys, Girls, and Children, lately belonging to the Estate of Mr. *James Mount*, deceased. The Sale to begin at III o'Clock in the Afternoon, and will continue next Day, if they are not all Sold on the Day of Sale. 4 JAMES ANDERSON, *Executor.*

THE Subscribers, *Jane Inch*, Widow of *John Inch*, late of the City of *Annapolis*, Silversmith, Deceased, and *Beriah Maybury*, Son-in-Law to the said Deceased, have Administred on his Estate: Therefore all Persons to whom he was Indebted, either by Bond, Bill, Note, or open Account, are desired to bring in their Claims, that they may be adjusted and settled: And those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to come and settle their Accounts. 3

JANE INCH, BERIAH MAYBURY, } *Administrators.*

N. B. The Silversmith's Business, Tavern-keeping, and Boats to go up and down the Bay, are carried on as usual, by JANE INCH.

March 25, 1763.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a STAGE SHALLOP, *Samuel Oakford*, Master, well accommodated for Passengers, will set out from *New-Castle* on Friday the First Day of *April* (and so Weekly) and proceed for *Philadelphia*, and leave that Place on the Wednesday following, and return to *New-Castle*, where there will be a Stage Waggon, belonging to *John Bolton*, which will on the Friday be ready to set out for *Chester-Town* in *Maryland*, and from thence to *Rock-Hall* on *Chesapeak* Bay, being about 60 Miles, where there will be a Stage Boat, belonging to *Abraham Ayres*, ready to proceed to *Annapolis* on the Monday, and the Waggon returns from thence on that Day to *Chester-Town*, and sets out for *New-Castle* on Wednesday.

SAMUEL OAKFORD, JOHN BOLTON, ABRAHAM AYRES.

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To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday the 23*d of* April, *at the House of Mr.* Henry Gassaway *in* Annapolis, *at* II *o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Cash, or good Bills of Exchange.*

A TRACT of choice LAND, call'd *Part of Turkey Quarter*, otherwise *Clark Quarter*, containing about 150 Acres, more or less, late the Property of Mr. *Henry Woodward*, Deceased; to be Sold agreeable to an Act of Assembly.

Six Months Credit will be given, if required, on giving Bond and Security.

4 JOHN HASSELVIS.

Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

TO BE RENTED,

THE *GEORGE* TAVERN (near the Court-House) extremely convenient, has Three Rooms, and a good Bar, below Stairs, and Six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two Rooms below, and one above; a large Dining-Room, and a good *London* Billiard-Table, above; a Garden, paled in; a Well, Smoke-House, Stable, and Necessary-House; late in the Possession of *Patrick Byrn*, Deceased.

The Terms may be known by applying to WILLIAM RAMSAY. 3

Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

SUPPOSED to be Imported into *Maryland*, from *London*, in the Year 1761, or 1762, SIX Half Barrels of GUN-POWDER, mark'd B M (*with a long Stroke between them, and Something like this* ⌐ *at Top*) or MB.

Any Person that can give an Account of them is desired to inform the Subscriber. 3

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

TAR, Pitch, Turpentine, and Pork, by the Barrel: Tallow, Myrtle and Bees Wax, by the Pound: Gammons, Shoulders and Middlings of Bacon: And, Some *European* Goods, not well Assorted. ROBERT SWAN. 3

He has also Rum for Sale.

Talbot County, *March* 25, 1763.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising *Four Hundred and Eighty Dollars*, for Erecting a LODGE-ROOM, for the Brotherhood and Fellowship of FREE and ACCEPTED MASONS, at *Talbot* Court-House.

MASONRY has been cultivated by Men of the first Rank and best Taste in all Ages, and been justly held in the highest Esteem among all civilized Nations: We Doubt not, therefore, but an Attempt to cultivate that truly Noble and Royal ART among us, will meet with all due Encouragement from all Lovers of the Arts, and Friends to Taste; particularly we Hope, that our Brethren of the several LODGES, in this and the adjacent Provinces, will lend their helping Hands to so laudable a Design, thereby evincing their Brotherly Love to MASONS, and Regard to MASONRY. 3

This Scheme is as well calculated for the Benefit of the Adventurers, as most Others of the Kind, there being but few more than Two Blanks to a Prize; the Deduction being only 15 *per* Cent, which may be well afforded by the fortunate Adventurers.

Number of Prizes.		Value in Dollars.		Total Value.
1	of	250	is	250
2	of	150	are	300
2	of	100	are	200
4	of	50	are	200
8	of	20	are	160
10	of	15	are	150
50	of	10	are	500
175	of	8	are	1400
1		First drawn Blank		20
1		Last drawn Blank		20
254 Prizes.				
546 Blanks.				
800 Tickets at 4 Dollars each, are				3200

THE following Gentlemen are appointed MANAGERS, Dr. *Charles Leith*, Reverend *John Gordon*, Dr. *John Martin*, Messieurs *Jacob Hindman*, *John Dickinson*, *William Hanson*, *Joshua Clarke*, *Henry Tripps*, *Clement Hollyday*, *Thomas Jack*, *Ebenezer Mackey*, and *John Allen Thomas*, who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath, justly to execute the Trust reposed in them.

The Drawing to be at *Talbot* Court-House, on Monday the Third Day of *October* next, or sooner, if sooner full.

The Prizes will be published in the *Maryland Gazette*, and the Prize-Money paid directly after the Deduction abovementioned being first made.

Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication, will be deemed as generously given for the Use of the Building, and applied accordingly.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and from the following Gentlemen, *William Hayward*, Esq; in *Somerset* County; Mr. *John Anderson*, Merchant, in *Cambridge*; Mr. *Anthony Mc Coll*, in *Queen's-Town*; Dr. *John Scott*, in *Chester-Town*; Mr. *John Campbell*, in *Nottingham*; Reverend *Thomas Thornton*, in *Charles* County; and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

THE Subſcriber acquaints his old Cuſtomers and Others, That he keeps Public Houſe where he now lives, in *Prince-George's* County, on the main Road that leads to and from *Annapolis*, where may be had good ENTERTAINMENT for Man and Horſe, from

Their humble Servant,
WILLIAM BEALL.

Annapolis, March 24, 1763.

To be SOLD, on Thurſday the 21ſt *of* April *next, on the Premiſſes, at* XI *o'Clock in the Morning, for ready Money, or ſhort Credit (with Security if required)*

A COMMODIOUS Brick Dwelling-Houſe, being Part of the Lot N°. 67, lately built by *Robert Gordon*, Stay-Maker, Deceaſed; the Houſe Fronts *Weſt-Street*, from the Northweſt, near the Town Gate, in Front about 60 Feet, and Back with the ſame Breadth about 160 Feet: There is a good Pump-Well, Boghouſe, and Garden Ground. The Houſe is not quite finiſh'd, by which great Additions may, at a ſmall Expence, be made to the Purchaſer's Fancy.

The Right and Title may be known, by applying to JOHN GORDON, ROBERT SWAN, } *Adminiſtrators.*

N. B. All Perſons Indebted to ſaid GORDON, are deſired to make immediate Payment, otherwiſe they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the Houſe of Mr. John Smith Prather, *in* Bladenſburg, *on Tueſday the Tenth of* May *next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,*

A CHOICE Parcel of LAND, containing upwards of 257 Acres, well ſituated for Farming, and produces fine Wheat, lying in *Prince-George's* County, within a Mile of the Eaſtern Branch of *Patowmack*, and 3 Miles from *Bladenſburg*, whereon is a good Dwelling-Houſe, and ſeveral Out-Houſes. The Title is good.

Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid Land, may ſee it, any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to SAMUEL SCOTT.

JOSEPH BULKLEY, MARINER,

Living at the lower End of Eaſt-ſtreet, *in* Annapolis,

WILL PILOT any SHIP or other VESSEL, to or from any Part of the BAY, at the common Rate of PILOTING.

N. B. He has a good BOAT to carry PASSENGERS up or down the Bay, at the cheapeſt Rates.

AS ſeveral of the Store BOOKS of Meſſieurs *John Glaſſford*, and Company, which were formerly kept by Mr. *William Gaſſnell*, at *Port-Tobacco*, in *Charles* County, were unfortunately conſumed by Fire, and as Mr. *Gaſſnell* hath left the Country, and Mr. *Thomas Campbell*, who at the Time the Debts upon theſe Books were contracted, was an Aſſiſtant in the ſaid Store, is now about to leave the Country alſo; I have thought it neceſſary, the better to eſtabliſh theſe Demands, to take the Depoſition of Mr. *Campbell*, who tranſcribed from the Day Books theſe Accounts with his own Hand, before he leaves the Country. This is therefore to give Notice, That Mr. *Campbell's* Depoſition will be taken at *Port-Tobacco*, on Wedneſday the 27th of *April*, at which Place and Time, every Perſon concerned, may, if they will, attend.

ROBERT MUNDELL.

AT *Hall's* Creek, Youth are taught READING and WRITING; ARITHMETIC, in all it's Parts, both Vulgar & Decimal; BOOK-KEEPING after the true *Italian* Method of Debtor and Creditor, by Double Entry; SURVEYING, or Meaſuring of Land; ALGEBRA; NAVIGATION, with ſeveral Branches of the Mathematics; LATIN, and GREEK, by D. ANDUS, *Maſter of Arts.*

N. B. His Method has been approved of by the beſt Judges in *Calvert* County, where he has Taught about nine Years.

THE MANAGERS of the *PORT-TOBACCO* LOTTERY, for the Benefit of Mrs. HALKERSTON, intend to Draw it the Twelfth Day of *May* next. All thoſe Gentlemen to whoſe Care Tickets have been recommended, and are not diſpoſed of, are deſired to return them by the Firſt Day of that Month to the ſeveral Managers.

THE Subſcriber living on *Patowmack* River, at the Old Office, within One Mile and a Half of *Lower Cedar Point*, and a Quarter of a Mile below *Benjamin Fendall's* Landing, KEEPS a BOAT with good experienc'd HANDS, and Ferries over to Captain *Hoe's* Landing, where all Gentlemen Travellers may depend upon Ready Paſſage; alſo good Private ENTERTAINMENT for MEN and HORSES, by *Their humble Servant,*

JOHN LAIDLER.

Charles County, *March* 1, 1763.

To be SOLD by the Subſcribers, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on TUESDAY the Tenth Day of MAY *next, at the late Dwelling-Houſe of Mr.* JOHN FENDALL, *deceaſed, for Sterling Caſh, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco,* Virginia *or Inſpection Currency,*

A CHOICE Parcel of COUNTRY-BORN SLAVES, conſiſting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls; among them are ſeveral Tradeſmen, and Houſe Maids that underſtand Cooking, *&c.* A Variety of Houſhold Furniture, and ſundry Horſes, Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep. Alſo the ſaid *John Fendall's* Stud of BLOODED HORSES, MARES and COLTS; among which is the famous Grey Stone Horſe that beat *Goodrick's* Black a Quarter of a Mile, with 85 odds in Riding: He alſo won a Match of a Quarter of a Mile againſt a *Virginia* Horſe called *Hiks*, and is thought by Gentlemen, who know him, to be a very ſwift Horſe. He was bred by Col. *Taſker*, and will be delivered in good Order to the Purchaſer. Time will be allowed for Payment, if required, on giving Bond and Security. The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till all is Sold.

ALL Perſons who have juſt Claims againſt the Eſtate of the ſaid *John Fendall*, are deſired to bring them in, that they may be ſettled and adjuſted: And all Perſons who are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make ſpeedy Payment, otherwiſe they will be ſued and warranted without Reſpect to Perſons. Thoſe who are indebted on Account, will be allowed Time for Payment, provided they will come and ſettle them by Bond in a ſhort Time.

SARAH FENDALL, PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL, } Executors.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Premiſſes, on Saturday the 21ſt *Day of* May,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND (whereon the Subſcriber now lives) lying in *Anne-Arundel* County, upon the Falls of *Patapſco*, and about Four Miles from *Elk-Ridge* Landing, containing 300 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe, Two Tobacco Houſes, beſides ſeveral other Improvements: It is well Timbered, and a very convenient Place for Erecting a Mill. The Right is indiſputable.

Whoever inclines to purchaſe, may know the Title, by applying to EDWARD TALBOT.

Mount Calvert, Pr. George's County, *March* 1, 1763.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

SOME Negro WOMEN and BOYS, for Caſh or Bills.——Alſo to be SOLD or LET, Four Hundred ACRES of LAND, near *Piſcataway*, whereon is a New Dwelling-Houſe, Tobacco-Houſe, Corn-Houſe, and an Old Quarter.

All Perſons that have juſt Claims againſt the Subſcriber, are deſired to apply for Payment; and thoſe Indebted in Accounts of above two Years ſtanding, are deſired to come and pay or ſettle by Note. Notes without a Seal, above two Years ſtanding, may be renewed.

THOMAS HAMILTON.

SENT away by Miſtake, to ſome Part of *Patuxent*, from on board the *Eſſex*, *John Carſley*, Maſter, two Parcels of Goods, marked L P, with Figure 4 and a Crow Foot between them, in a Diamond, a Cask, N°. 1, and a Bundle N°. 2. Any Information concerning them given to the Subſcriber, living at *Lower-Marlborough*, will be moſt gratefully acknowledged. DAVID SLAVEN.

Charles County, *January* 20, 1763.

I HAVE LAND to LEASE, for ſeveral Tenants, for a conſiderable Number of Years: Alſo, Tobacco for Sale, or to let out on Intereſt, on giving Security, if required.

SAMUEL HANSON.

MR. WILLIAM SAUNDERS, of this Province, who ſerved an Apprenticeſhip to Mr. *Lux*, Merchant, of *Baltimore*, is gone in the *Somerſet*, Capt. *Kerridge*, to ſettle at *St. John's* in *Antigua*, and will be glad to receive Conſignments from any of his Acquaintance, Countrymen or Others, who will oblige him with their Favours of that Sort; and they may depend on his Care, Expedition and ſtrict Punctuality. Having already Lived ſome Time in the *Weſt-Indies*, he obtain'd ſufficient Credentials of his Capacity, Honeſty and Integrity.

TO BE RENTED,

ONE Thouſand Acres of Land, to be divided into Six Farms, and ſome Meadow Ground thereon. Three Hundred and Thirty-eight Acres of Land, to be divided into Two Farms, a great Part of which is Meadow Ground. One Hundred and Eighty Acres in One Farm, all Upland. The above Land is Woodland and very good, about 17 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*.

Alſo Sundry Lots to let upon Ground-Rent in *Baltimore-Town*. For Terms apply to

BALTIS PHILPOT.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE on Monday the 9th *Day of* May *next, purſuant to an Act of the General Aſſembly of* Virginia, *for enlarging the Town of* Alexandria,

FIFTY-EIGHT Lots, or Half Acres of Land. This Town is beautifully ſituated near the Falls of *Patowmack*, one of the fineſt Rivers in *North-America*; it affords good Navigation for the largeſt Ships in *Europe*, up to the Town, where there is an excellent Harbour. The Country back is very extenſive, and the Soil capable of producing Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Flax, Hemp, *&c.* in great Perfection.

It's equal Convenience for Tranſporting any Commodity to the Waters of the *Ohio*, is obvious to any one that will give themſelves the Trouble of examining the Draughts of the Country.

To be SOLD, on Tueſday the 19th *Day of April inſtant, at* Alexandria, *being Court-Day,*

TWO LOTS, or one Acre, in the ſaid Town, known by the Name of the *Long Orchard*, conſiſting of one Dwelling-houſe, about 30 Feet long, and 24 wide. Six Rooms below, all with Fire-places, and ſix Rooms above; a good Cellar, Kitchen, Meat-Houſe, *&c.* The whole well paiſed in, with a Garden diſtinct.

At the ſame Time is to be SOLD, One LOT with a good neat Brick Houſe, about 36 Feet by 24; a good Cellar, Kitchen, and other Outhouſes; the Lot is well paiſed in. They are both well accuſtomed Public Houſes.

Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe before the Time, may know the Terms, by applying to CARLYLE *and* DALTON.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called *Thurſton's Neighbour*, lying on *Bynum's Branch*, near the Head of *Back* River, in *Baltimore* County, containing about 1600 Acres. Any Perſon deſirous of purchaſing the above Tract of Land, may, upon Application to Mr. *Robert Alexander*, of *Baltimore-Town*, be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale. Sterling, or Gold and Silver at the current Rates, will be taken in Payment, as may beſt ſuit the Purchaſer.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Annapolis*, on the 28th of *March* laſt, a Convict Servant Man, named *Richard Stevens*, a *Preſton* Born, and Taylor by Trade; ſpeaks broken *Engliſh*, and very quick. He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, naturally of a pale Complexion, but when he ran away, his Face was much bruiſed and had black Eyes, occaſioned by Fighting. He carried with him ſundry very good Clothes, viz. a very good brown Broadcloth Coat and Waiſtcoat, trimmed with the ſame Colour, a violet blue Suit of Cloth, with divers other Things too tedious to mention.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and brings him to that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by

JOHN DUCKET.

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